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Sir:

Declarant, Jens C. Jenkins, represents that he is an Attorney of Record for Web TV Networks, Inc., a corporation of the State of California, having a principal place of business at 1250 Charleston Avenue, Mountain View, California 94043, and that he is authorized to make this Declaration and execute this Terminal Disclaimer on behalf of WebTV Networks, Inc. Declarant further represents that WebTV Networks, Inc. is the assignee of the entire interest, as shown by the Assignment recorded at reel 9657, frame 0606 (a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A) in the records of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, of the above-identified application, and also of the parent application, now U.S. Patent No. 6,530,085 (as also shown by the recorded assignment at Exhibit A). Declarant hereby further certifies that the evidentiary

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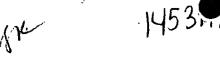
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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, Stephen G. Perlman, (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNOR), having post office address of 721 Tiana Lane, Mountain View, CA 94041, respectively, am the sole inventor of an invention entitled "CONFIGURATION FOR ENHANCED ENTERTAINMENT SYSTEM CONTROL," as described and claimed in the specification forming part of an application for United States letters patent executed herewith;

Said invention being disclosed in a United States patent application executed heretofore and now identified as File No. 14531.27 of the law firm of Workman, Nydegger & Seeley, 1000 Eagle Gate Tower, 60 East South Temple, Salt Lake City, Utah 84111, and filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office as Serial No. 09/154,609 on September 16, 1998.

WHEREAS, WebTV Networks, Inc., (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), a corporation of the State of California having a place of business at 1250 Charleston Avenue, Mountain View, CA 94043, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title, and interest in and to the invention and in and to any letters patent that may be granted therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exchange for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR hereby sells, assigns, and transfers unto said ASSIGNEE, the entire right, title, and interest in and to said invention, said application and any and all letter patent which may be granted for said invention in the United States of America and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries, and in any and all divisions, reissues, and continuations thereof, including the right to file foreign applications directly in the name of ASSIGNEE and to claim priority rights deriving from said United States application to which said foreign applications are entitled by virtue of international convention, treaty, or otherwise, said invention, application, and all letters patent on said invention to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE and its successors and assigns for their use and benefit and of their successors and assigns as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by the ASSIGNOR had this assignment, transfer, and sale not been made. The ASSIGNOR hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all letters patent on said invention to ASSIGNEE. The ASSIGNOR agrees to execute all instruments and documents required for the making and prosecution of applications for United States and foreign letters patent on said invention, for litigation regarding said letters patent, or for the purpose of protecting title to said invention or letters patent therefor.

Dated this 27 day of October, 1998

Stephen G. Perlman

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Mountain View, CA 94041

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

SS.

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On <u>letober 37</u>, 1998, before me personally appeared Stephen G. Perlman, known to me to be the person described and who signed the foregoing Assignment in my presence and acknowledged under oath before me that he/she has read the same and know the contents thereof and that he/she executed the same as his/her free act and deed and for the purposes set forth therein.

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